

EXHIBIT 53

**BEFORE THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

RUBEN JUAREZ,

APPLICANT,

VS.

**SPACE EXPLORATION TECH. CORP.; CHUBB
GROUP OF INS. CO.,**

DEFENDANTS.

CASE NO. ADJ9801824

VOLUME III

DEPOSITION OF RUBEN JUAREZ

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

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1 Q. Did you settle the case?

2 A. I don't know what settle means.

3 Q. Did you get money in a lump sum to close the
4 case?

5 A. Yes.

6 Q. How much?

7 A. God, I don't know the figure on the top of my
8 head.

9 Q. Approximately?

10 A. 60,000 or something like that. I'm not quite
11 sure.

12 Q. Do you have memory problems?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. Have you always had memory problems?

15 A. No.

16 Q. When did they begin?

17 A. Approximately six to seven months after I
18 start working for Space Ex.

19 Q. Do you know the causation of these memory
20 problems?

21 A. I don't.

22 Q. You have amended your claim for Space
23 Exploration Technologies to include additional parts of
24 the body from the original filing. Do you recall that?

25 A. Correct.

REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

I, DIANA ALDRICH, CSR #12877, a Certified
Shorthand Reporter within and for the State of
California, do hereby declare:

That pursuant to 2093(b) CCP, I administered
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That the foregoing deposition was taken
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taken down by me in shorthand and thereafter
transcribed into typewriting under my direction and
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That the foregoing deposition is a full,
true and correct transcript of my shorthand notes so
taken.

I further declare that I am neither counsel
for nor related to any of the parties to said action
nor in any way interested in the outcome thereof.

I declare under penalty of perjury this 30th
day of October, 2015, that the foregoing is true
and correct.

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